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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 19, 2005, please amend the above-captioned patent application as set forth below. This amendment is filed as a submission with a Request for Continued Examination. The Request for Continued Examination is timely by virtue of a petition for a two-month extension of time and payment of the extension of time fee herewith, and the fact that March 19, 2005, fell on a Sunday.

Amendments to the claims are shown in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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